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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. HUNTER (for himself, Mr. KLINE, and Mr. McKEON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Setting New Priorities  
5       in Education Spending Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION PRO-**  
2 **GRAMS.**

3 (a) REPEALS.—The following provisions of the Ele-  
4 mentary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C.  
5 6301 et seq.) are repealed:

6 (1) Subpart 2 of part B of title I (20 U.S.C.  
7 6371 et seq.; relating to Early Reading First).

8 (2) Subpart 3 of part B of title I (20 U.S.C.  
9 6381 et seq.; relating to the William F. Goodling  
10 Even Start Family Literacy programs).

11 (3) Subpart 4 of part B of title I (20 U.S.C.  
12 6383; relating to improving literacy through school  
13 libraries).

14 (4) Section 1502 (20 U.S.C. 6492; relating  
15 demonstrations of innovative practices).

16 (5) Section 1504 (20 U.S.C. 6494; relating to  
17 the Close Up Fellowship program).

18 (6) Part F of title I (20 U.S.C. 6511 et seq.;  
19 relating to comprehensive school reform).

20 (7) Part H of title I (20 U.S.C. 6551 et seq.;  
21 relating to school dropout prevention)

22 (8) Section 2151(b) (20 U.S.C. 6651(b); relat-  
23 ing to school leadership).

24 (9) Section 2151(c) (20 U.S.C. 6651(c); relat-  
25 ing to advanced certification or advanced  
26 credentialing).

1           (10) Section 2151(d) (20 U.S.C. 6651(d); relat-  
2           ing to special education teacher training).

3           (11) Section 2151(e) (20 U.S.C. 6651(e); relat-  
4           ing to early childhood educator professional develop-  
5           ment).

6           (12) Section 2151(f) (20 U.S.C. 6651(f); relat-  
7           ing to teacher mobility).

8           (13) Subpart 2 of part C of title II (20 U.S.C.  
9           6701 et seq.; relating to the National Writing  
10          Project).

11          (14) Subpart 4 of part C of title II (20 U.S.C.  
12          6721 et seq.; relating to the teaching of traditional  
13          American history).

14          (15) Part D of title II (20 U.S.C. 6751 et seq.;  
15          relating to enhancing education through technology).

16          (16) Part B of title III (20 U.S.C. 6891 et seq.;  
17          commonly referred to as the “Improving Language  
18          Instruction Educational Programs for Academic  
19          Achievement Act”).

20          (17) Section 4003(1) (20 U.S.C. 7103(1); relat-  
21          ing to subpart 1 of part A of title IV).

22          (18) Subpart 1 of part A of title IV (20 U.S.C.  
23          7111 et seq.; relating to State grants for safe and  
24          drug-free schools and communities).

1           (19) Section 4129 (20 U.S.C. 7139; relating to  
2       grants to reduce alcohol abuse).

3           (20) Section 4130 (20 U.S.C. 7140; relating to  
4       mentoring programs).

5           (21) Subpart 2 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
6       7245; relating to elementary and secondary school  
7       counseling programs).

8           (22) Subpart 3 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
9       7247; relating to partnerships in character edu-  
10      cation).

11          (23) Subpart 4 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
12      7249; relating to smaller learning communities).

13          (24) Subpart 5 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
14      7251; relating to the Reading is Fundamental—In-  
15      expensive Book Distribution program).

16          (25) Subpart 6 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
17      7253 et seq.; relating to gifted and talented stu-  
18      dents).

19          (26) Subpart 7 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
20      7255 et seq.; commonly referred to as the “Star  
21      Schools Act”).

22          (27) Subpart 8 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
23      7257 et seq.; relating to the Ready to Teach pro-  
24      gram).

1           (28) Subpart 9 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
2       7259 et seq.; commonly referred to as the “Foreign  
3       Language Assistance Act of 2001”).

4           (29) Subpart 10 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
5       7261 et seq.; commonly referred to as the “Carol M.  
6       White Physical Education Program”).

7           (30) Subpart 11 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
8       7263 et seq.; relating to community technology cen-  
9       ters).

10          (31) Subpart 12 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
11       7265 et seq.; relating to educational, cultural, ap-  
12       prenticeship, and exchange programs for Alaska Na-  
13       tives, Native Hawaiians, and their historical whaling  
14       and trading partners in Massachusetts).

15          (32) Subpart 13 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
16       7267 et seq.; relating to excellence in economic edu-  
17       cation).

18          (33) Subpart 14 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
19       7269 et seq.; relating to grants to improve the men-  
20       tal health of children).

21          (34) Subpart 15 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
22       7271; relating to arts in education).

23          (35) Subpart 16 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
24       7273; relating to parental assistance and local fam-  
25       ily information centers).

1           (36) Subpart 17 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
2       7275; relating to combatting domestic violence).

3           (37) Subpart 18 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
4       7277 et seq.; relating to healthy, high-performance  
5       schools).

6           (38) Subpart 20 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
7       7281 et seq.; relating to additional assistance for  
8       certain local educational agencies impacted by Fed-  
9       eral property acquisition).

10          (39) Subpart 21 of part D of title V (20 U.S.C.  
11       7283 et seq.; commonly referred to as the “Women’s  
12       Educational Equity Act of 2001”).

13          (40) Part B of title VII (20 U.S.C. 7511 et  
14       seq.; commonly referred to as the “Native Hawaiian  
15       Education Act”).

16          (41) Part C of title VII (20 U.S.C. 7541 et  
17       seq.; commonly referred to as the “Alaska Native  
18       Educational Equity, Support, and Assistance Act”).

19       (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—

20           (1) TITLE I.—

21               (A) SECTION 1002.—Section 1002 of the  
22       Elementary and Secondary Education Act of  
23       1965 (20 U.S.C. 6302) is amended—

24                   (i) in subsection (b)—

1 (I) by striking paragraphs (2)  
 2 through (4); and

3 (II) by striking the following:

4 “(b) READING FIRST.—

5 “(1) READING FIRST.—For” and inserting the  
 6 following:

7 “(b) READING FIRST.—For”;

8 (ii) in subsection (e)—

9 (I) by striking paragraph (2);

10 and

11 (II) by striking the following:

12 “(e) FEDERAL ACTIVITIES.—

13 “(1) SECTIONS 1501 AND 1502.—For the pur-  
 14 pose of carrying out sections 1501 and 1502,” and  
 15 inserting the following:

16 “(e) FEDERAL ACTIVITIES.—For the purpose of car-  
 17 rying out section 1501,”;

18 (iii) by striking subsection (f);

19 (iv) by redesignating subsections (g)  
 20 through (i) as subsections (f) through (h),  
 21 respectively;

22 (v) by striking subsection (g) (as so  
 23 redesignated); and

24 (vi) by redesignating subsection (h)  
 25 (as so redesignated) as subsection (g).

1 (B) SECTION 1116.—Section  
 2 1116(b)(3)(A)(i) of such Act (20 U.S.C.  
 3 6316(b)(3)(A)(i)) is amended by striking “, and  
 4 may include” and all that follows through “part  
 5 F”.

6 (C) SECTION 1202.—Section 1202 of such  
 7 Act (20 U.S.C. 6362) is amended—

8 (i) in subsection (a)(1), by striking  
 9 “section 1002(b)(1)” and inserting “sec-  
 10 tion 1002(b)”; and

11 (iii) in subsection (c)(7)(A)(vii), by  
 12 striking “, including coordination” and all  
 13 that follows through “where applicable”.

14 (D) SECTION 1703.—Section 1703 of such  
 15 Act (20 U.S.C. 6533) is amended by striking  
 16 “section 1002(g)” and inserting “section  
 17 1002(f)”.

18 (2) TITLE II.—

19 (A) SECTION 2103.—Section 2103(b) of  
 20 such Act (20 U.S.C. 6603(b)) is amended by  
 21 striking “subpart 5” and inserting “section  
 22 2151(a)”.

23 (B) SECTION 2123.—Section 2123(a)(5)(A)  
 24 of such Act (20 U.S.C. 6623(a)(5)(A)) is



1 amended by striking “, and are coordinated”  
 2 and all that follows through “part D”.

3 (3) TITLE III.—Section 3001 of such Act (20  
 4 U.S.C. 6801) is amended—

5 (A) in subsection (a)—

6 (i) in paragraph (1), by striking “ex-  
 7 cept for subpart 4 of part B”;

8 (ii) by striking paragraph (2); and

9 (iii) by striking the following:

10 “(a) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—

11 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Subject” and inserting the  
 12 following:

13 “(a) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Sub-  
 14 ject”;

15 (B) in subsection (b)—

16 (i) in paragraph (1), by striking  
 17 “paragraphs (1) and (2) of”;

18 (ii) by striking paragraph (2); and

19 (iii) by striking the following:

20 “(b) CONDITIONS ON EFFECTIVENESS OF PARTS A  
 21 AND B.—

22 “(1) PART A.—Part A” and inserting the fol-  
 23 lowing:

24 “(b) CONDITIONS ON EFFECTIVENESS OF PART A.—  
 25 Part A”; and

1 (C) by striking subsection (c).

2 (4) TITLE IV.—Section 4115(b)(2)(E)(xvii) of  
3 such Act (20 U.S.C. 7115(b)(2)(E)(xvii)) is amend-  
4 ed by striking “, such as a program described in  
5 subpart 3 of part D of title V”.

6 (5) TITLE VI.—Section 6222(a)(3) of such Act  
7 (20 U.S.C. 7351a(a)(3)) is amended by striking “,  
8 as described in part D of title II”.

9 (6) TITLE IX.—

10 (A) SECTION 9101.—Section 9101(13) of  
11 such Act (20 U.S.C. 7801(13)) is amended to  
12 read as follows:

13 “(13) COVERED PROGRAM.—The term ‘covered  
14 program’ means each of the programs authorized  
15 by—

16 “(A) part A of title I;

17 “(B) part C of title I;

18 “(C) part D of title I;

19 “(D) part A of title II;

20 “(E) part A of title III;

21 “(F) part A of title IV;

22 “(G) part B of title IV;

23 “(H) part A of title V; and

24 “(I) subpart 2 of part B of title VI.”.

1 (B) SECTION 9501.—Section 9501(b)(1) of  
2 such Act (20 U.S.C. 7881(b)(1)) is amended to  
3 read as follows:

4 “(1) IN GENERAL.—This section applies to pro-  
5 grams under—

6 “(A) subpart 1 of part B of title I;

7 “(B) part C of title I;

8 “(C) part A of title II, to the extent pro-  
9 vided in paragraph (3);

10 “(D) part B of title II;

11 “(E) part A of title III;

12 “(F) part A of title IV; and

13 “(G) part B of title IV.”.

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